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VETERANS ISSUE GENERAL ORDERS

ALL SOLDIERS ORGANIZATIONS UNITE FOR MEMORIAL SERVICE

ORDER OF PROCESSION

G. A. R. Will Lead March Sunday Afternoon, Followed by Ladies of The W. R. C.

The Sedwick Post, G. A. R., the Women's Relief Corp, the Seth Ray David Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Auxiliary of the Seth Ray David Post and the James Edward Gray Post of the American Legion will unite in the observance of Memorial and Decoration Day. All the Sunday schools, the patriotic and fraternal organizations of Maryville and the public are invited to take part in the Memorial service.

The first event of the program which has been arranged is the flagging of the graves on Saturday, May 28, with Charles Hyslop chairman for the committee at Oak Hill cemetery and J. G. Grems at Miriam, St. Mary's and St. Patrick's cemeteries.

The Memorial sermon will be delivered at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist church by the Rev. J. A. Cooper. All members of the Sedgewick Post, No. 21, department of Missouri, are ordered to meet on North Main Street in front of the Seth Ray David rooms promptly at 2:30 o'clock and comrades of all wars, the W. R. C. and Auxiliary are invited to join in the procession in the following order: members of G. A. R., women of the W. R. C., V. F. W. followed by Women's Auxiliary, Indian and Spanish War veterans, members of Seth Ray David Post and the American Legion. The procession will move south on Main Street to Thompson and east on Thompson to the church and after the service, will return to the Seth Ray David Post where ranks will be broken.

All who can contribute flowers for Decoration Day are requested to take them to the basement of the First Methodist church by 8 o'clock Monday morning. Comrades of the G. A. R., V. F. W., and American Legion are asked to be there promptly at 9 a. m. to receive the flowers and decorate the graves.

There will be a mass meeting in the court house at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon. The veterans of all wars will meet at 2 o'clock at the Seth Ray David Post rooms and march to the court house yard in the same order, by order of Madison Goodson, Commander of Post 21, W. H. Hudson, Adjutant. Commander Ed Condon of the Seth Ray David Post, and John Mutz of the Legion Post will have charge of their respective divisions.

The program to be given Monday afternoon is as follows:

Music by the band.
Prayer by the Rev. S. P. Allison.
Music by choir.
Lincoln's Gettysburg Speech by Prof. Harry Miller.
Music by band.
Address by the Rev. Frank J. Mapel and others.
Honoring the dead, directed by Charles Hyslop.
Firing of salute at cenotaph by V. F. W. and sounding of taps.
T. J. Puckett, chairman of committee, G. A. R.
R. C. Person, chairman of committee V. F. W.
John Mutz, chairman of committee, American Legion.

Electric Theatre

Last Time Tonight

Your last chance to see Mary Miles Minter in "THE LITTLE CLOWN." Night 7:30 and 9—11c and 22c.

Friday, May 27—

William Duncan in "Fighting Fate. Also 2-reel western and 2-reel comedy. Two matinees at 2:30 and 4:10—11c and 22c. Night 7:30 and 9—11c and 22c.

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LAST HOPE OF AMERICANS IS PUT OUT OF RUNNING

Fred Wright Sole Survivor of Invading Golf Contingent Is Eliminated

Hoylake, England, May 26—Fred Wright, the lone survivor of the American contingent that entered the British amateur golf tournament, was put out of the running today by Bernard Darwin at the nineteenth hole. Four British players now remain in the tourney. The last hope of the Yankees went down to defeat fighting like a champion.

WILL SEE ALL MEMBERS OF CLASS IN EXERCISES

Band Concert Will Begin Early So It Will Not Conflict With High School Program

Every member of the largest graduating class the High School has ever had will have a part in the class exercises in the auditorium of the State Teachers College tonight.

Instead of the usual play of three or four acts, there will be three one-act plays—two farces and a pantomime. In addition there will be a "College Scene," the nature of which has been kept a mystery.

Music will be furnished by the High School orchestra, the High School quartet, a vocal solo by Miss Marie Cloud and a vocal duet by Misses Steryl Bishop and Getha Anderson. The class gift will be presented to the school at this time, and there will be a class proprecy and class will. Miss Ruth Houchens will give a salutatory.

The band concert tonight will begin at 7:30, in order that citizens may hear part of the music before going to the class exercises.

MAY BE NO RED CROSS BABY CLINICS IN JUNE

Miss Anna Heisler, County Nurse, Wants Big Attendance Tomorrow State Supervisor Coming.

Miss Alma Wretling of Jefferson City, state supervising nurse for the Red Cross, will arrive in Maryville tomorrow night for conference with Miss Anna Heisler, Red Cross nurse for Nodaway County.

Miss Heisler will hold another free clinic tomorrow afternoon, at which parents may bring their children for examination.

"I am very eager to have all the parents who can bring their children to this clinic, as we may have a vacation in June, and no clinics will be held then," Miss Heisler urged this morning.

Miss Heisler now has pictures taken at former clinics displayed in the office. Copies of them have been sent in to the state department of public health and will probably be published in that department's bulletins.

GEORGE ALEY PURCHASES HOUSE ON SOUTH MAIN

George W. Aley purchased the Charles F. Smith property known as the Thomas Farrell residence at 221 South Main street yesterday, the consideration being $10,000. In the transaction, Mr. Smith took Mr. Aley's property on Grand Avenue at $6,000. The deal was made by Allen Brothers. Both parties will give immediate possesson.

WILL SHOW C. OF C. FILM AT TWO COMMUNITY MEETINGS

Still the invitations come for the Chamber of Commerce to show its moving picture film at rural community gatherings.

Arrangements have been made to show the report at the Oak Hill Church, five miles east of Maryville, Tuesday, June 7, at a meeting of the Oak Hill Farm Culb. It will be shown the next night at Salem Church, ten miles south of Maryville, where there will be a community gathering and ice cream social, the proceeds of which will go into the fund for painting and repairing the church. A group of Maryville people will probably furnish music at the gathering.

Harding Entertains Financiers

Washington, D. C., May 26.—A number of the most powerful financiers of this country, headed by J. Pierpoint Morgan, were entertained at the White House last night. There was a full discussion with President Harding concerning the part American financial interests are going to play in the flotation of foreign loans in America.

Mrs. E. S. Castle of St. Joseph is a guest of Mrs. E. L. Crowson of Pickering.

1921 MARYVILLIAN MAKES APPEARANCE

HIGH SCHOOL ANNUAL IS RECEIVED FROM PRINTER

DEDICATED TO ZIEGLER

Volume Has Pages Devoted to Faculty, Classes, Organizations, Activities and Jokes.

The Maryvillian of 1921 made its appearance today.

The Maryvillian is the annual published by the senior class of the Maryville High School, issued for the first time last year. The first shipment of the 1921 volume was received from the printer today and is being distributed among its subscribers.

The volume is dedicated to Supt. L. E. Ziegler. It reads as follows:

"To Prof. L. E. Ziegler, who with us, in nineteen hundred and seventeen, began his career in M. H. S., who throughout our school life has aided, directed and advised and for whom we have the sincerest respect and gratitude, this book is dedicated."

There is a salutatory: "To all who serve old M. H. S., we present this second volume of the Maryvillian. It has been our earnest desire and effort to concentrate the school year into one picture at which you may look in future years and recall pleasantly the happy days spent in M. H. S."

Three hundred and fifty copies of the Maryvillian were published this year. The book has sections devoted to the classes, faculty, school organizations, activities, jokes and members of the junior and senior classes have individual pictures, while sophomores and freshmen are shown in group.

There are pictures of members of athletic teams with short resumes of the season's achievements. Several pages are given to assemblies and social activities, the orchestra and the Smith-Hughes department. A roster is given of all alumni of the High school since the first class was graduated in 1887.

The Maryvillian staff for 1921 was composed of the following members of the senior class: Editor-in chief, Floyd Foreman; assistant editor, Ruth Miller and Dean Campbell; business manager, Stanley Aley; joke editor, Tom Faris; snap editor, Russel Allan; art editor, Miriam Gray; athletic editor, Ruth Houchens; student activities, Justine Fraser, and literary editor, Mabel Raines.

GUATEMALA LECTURE TO HARMONY COMMUNITY CLUB

Rev. S. P. Allison Will Give Illustrated Lecture at Harmony Thursday Night, June 2.

Rev. S. P. Allison, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will give an illustrated lecture on Guatemala, telling of the customs and dress of the people and showing slides at a meeting of the Harmony community club to be held on Thursday night, June 2, at the Harmony church. While the Harmony club is sponsoring the entertainment, it is free and open to all who care to attend.

WILL VOTE ON CONSOLIDATION OF ELMO DISTRICTS TOMORROW

An election will be held at Elmo tomorrow on the proposed consolidation of six school districts and part of two others. The districts affected are North Grove, Union Grove, Possum Walk, Elmo, Salem, High Prairie and part of Mt. Tabor and Cottonwood.

Returns to St. Joseph.

Mrs. Homer Rice who has been visiting in Maryville at the home of her son, Robert C. Rice, and wife, will return to her home at St. Joseph tonight. She will be accompanied by her daughter, Miss Edith Rice, who has been attending the State Teachers College.

Regular Meeting

SETH RAY DAVID POST NO. 442,

Veterans of Foreign Wars

Tonight at 7:30.

Initiational and important business.

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Theo. G. Robinson, Adj.

TARKIO MENTOR CALLS OFF DUAL MEET WITH S. T. C.

Coach Says His Team Is Not In Condition to Compete—No Meet This Year.

There will be no Maryville-Tarkio dual meet this year. After Coach Rice of the Teachers College had made arrangements to take his team to the Atchison County town today, he was notified by the Tarkio coach that the College team there was not in condition to compete. One of the stars of the team, he said, would not be able to take part in a meet, and other men were no longer in training.

As the spring term at the State Teachers College closed yesterday, it will be impossible to arrange another date for the meet.

ROLLA DICKS BODY EXPECTED FRIDAY

FUNERAL WILL BE HELD SUNDAY AT BURLINGTON JCT.

SEVEN POSTS TO ASSIST

Services Will be Outdoors in Nicholas Park With Address by Dr. E. L. Hendricks.

The body of Rolla A. Dicks, son of Mrs. S. E. Dicks of Burlington Junction, is expected to arrive at Burlington Junction tomorrow and funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon in connection with a memorial service. President E. L. Hendricks of the State Teachers College at Warrensburg, will give the principal address of the afternoon.

Owing to the warm weather and the large crowd which is expected to attend, the funeral services will be held in Nicholas Park south of Burlington Junction and burial will be in the Ohio cemetery.

The American Legion Post at Burlington Junction was named in memory of Rolla Dicks, who died in England while serving with Co. E, 313th Engineers. The Seth Ray David Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars and the James Edward Gray Post, American Legion of Maryville, the posts of the American Legion at Hopkins, Clearmont, Elmo and Tarkio, will assist the Rolla Dicks Post in the military rites.

In addition to the address of President Hendricks of Warrensburg, Rev. F. E. Edwards, pastor of the Burlington Junction Methodist church, and Rev. G. W. Maxwell, pastor of the Christian church, will assist in the services.

Besides his mother, Mrs. Sarah E. Dicks, the boy is survived by four brothers, Albert and John Dicks of Burlington Junction, Elmer and Ida Dicks of Jefferson City, Mo.

YOUNG MAN DIES AT HOSPITAL THIS MORNING

Death of Lee B. Nelson of Bedford, Iowa Occurred at 11 O'clock—Burial At Bedfodr.

Lee B. Nelson, twenty-seven years of age, died at 11 o'clock this morning at St. Francis hospital following an operation. The body of Mr. Nelson will be taken to Bedford, Ia., tonight for burial. He is survived by his wife, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nelson of Lenox, Ia.

War Prison Despot Sentenced

Leipzig, May 26,—A prison sentence of ten months was today imposed upon former Sergeant Karl Heynen of the German army, who was charged in the war criminals court with abusing British war prisoners. The ex-sergeant was the first of the German officers to be placed on trial by the supreme court. A number of British soldiers, who were prisoners in Heynen's detention camp in 1915, testified against him.

Kills A "Peeping Tom"

Denver Colo., May 26,—Harry Spencer, known in police circles as "Curley" and said to be the notorious "Peeping Tom," was shot and killed today by Mrs. Helen Cass, when he attacked her near a garage where she had just left her automobile. The woman fired three bullets into his body.

Here for Decoration Day.

Mrs. Amanda Ellis of Kansas City is expected to arrive in Maryville Saturday noon to visit over Decoration Day. She will be a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Charles T. Pell and Mrs. T. L. Robinson.

MANY MEN ATTEND YEHLE STYLE SHOW

WOMEN NOT ONLY FOLLOWERS OF LATEST FADS

1,000 ATTEND EXHIBITION

Store Was Packed While Live Models Displayed Fashions Latest Creations.

Maryville's men are as intensely interested in women's styles as are the women themselves, if the style show of the Yehle Dry Goods Co. last night is a criterion. The division between the two sexes of the spectators who crowded into the Yehle store was almost equal. Most of the males, however, "just came with the wife."

The house warming of the new "city store" of the Yehle store was a success from its opening in the morning to the closing number of the style show. At least one thousand persons were packed about the stage where the models displayed the late styles, according to the count of Col. R. G. Allan at the door. Many of the crowd were out-of-town visitors.

Among the decorations were three large bouquets of pink roses, two the gifs of the Farmers Trust Co. and the other of Harvey L. Haines.

In the afternoon punch was served on the second floor while Schumacher's orchestra furnished music for the occasion. Mrs. C. W. Yehle and Mr. L. B. Tracy presided at the punch bowls. The large second floor salesroom with its attractively displayed stocks won the admiration of the visiting public and favorable comment was heard on every hand.

In the evening the aisles were cleared to give space for the large crowd of spectators at the style exhibit. The center ledge between the east and center aisles wes converted into a stage for models. Schumacher's Orchestra furnished music throughout the exhibit. The High School Quartet gave several highly appreciated numbers.

The first number of the style exhibit was a showing of organdie dresses with Blanche Lawler, Floy Saunders, Faye Castillo, Mildred Nicholas and Ora Mae Condon acting as models. Hats, footwear and accessories were also shown in connection with the dresses. The second number was a showing of voiles and dark organdie dresses with Ina Hollowell, Marie Cook, Charity Wiseman and Prudye Saunders acting as models, hats, footwear, parasols and accessories were shown in connection.

The third number was a showing of silk kimonos with Jennie Evans, Ina Hollowell and Milded Nicholas acting as models. Each girl carried material from which they were later draped in nifty evening gowns. Mildred Reddick of the millinery department did the draping, using only materials, trimmings and pins. The girls appeared in the last scene with these draped costumes.

The fourth number was a showing of Sport dresses, blouses and skirts with hats, footwear and accessories to match. Ethel Muntz, Prpdye Saunders, Charity Wiseman and Blanche Lawler acted as models in this event.

The sixth number was a showing of house dresses and aprons in the bungalo and other neat styles with Marie Cook, Faye Castillo, Ethel Muntz and Prudye Saunders as models.

The seventh number was a showing of girls' organdie dresses with little Gertude Hiatt and Gertrude Riffe acting as models.

The eighth number was a showing of silk dresses with Ethel Muntz, Prudye Saunders, Jennie Evans and Blanche Lawler acting as models.

The ninth number was a showing of gingham dresses followed by a showing of girls gingham dresses. Those taking part in this event were Ora Mae Condon, Floy Saunders, Jennie Evans, little Gertrude Riffe and Gertrude Hiatt.

The tenth number was a showing of middie blouses and wash skirts. The models in this event were Marie Cook, Ora Mae Condon, Floy Saunders and Mildred Nicholas.

Arthur Thomas Goodspeed.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Goodspeed of Bedford, Ia., announce the birth of a son on Saturday, May 21, whom they have named Arthur Thomas Goodspeed. Mr. Goodspeed's mother, Mrs. Frank Goodspeed of this city, returned this morning from a visit at Bedford.

MASTERS FUNERAL RITES TO BE HELD TOMORROW

Will be Conducted by Rev. Snodgrass at Home West of Maryville—Burial in Miriam Cemetery.

Funeral services for Ott Masters, who died yesterday afternoon at his home west of Maryville, will be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the home conducted by Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, pastor of the First Christian church. Burial will be in Miriam cemetery.

Mr. Masters' death occurred very suddenly yesterday when sitting on the front porch of his home talking to his wife and a neighbor, William Dempsey. Besides his wife, he is survived by seven brothers and sisters.

UNITED STATES BECOMES IMPATIENT WITH PANAMA

Republics Delay in Answering Ultimatum on Costa Rican Trouble Annoys Washington.

Washington, D. C., May 26,—Marked impatience was evidenced in official circles today over the delay of the Republic of Panama in answering the virtual ultimatum despatched by Secretary Hughes on May 9 demanding that Panama end her boundary warfare with Costa Rica by accepting the White award in that communication. Secretary Hughes demanded that Panama notify this government of its intention of complying within a reasonable time. This reasonable time was stated authoritatively to be rapidly nearing an end.

ATTEMPTS FLIGHT ACROSS U.S. WITH ONLY ONE STOP

Capt. Eddie Richenbacher, American War "Ace" Is Off On Long Air Journey.

Redwood City, Cal., May 26,—Five hours behind schedule but determined to make up as much as possible of lost time, Capt. Eddie Ricken backer hopped off for the second time today shortly after 8 o'clock this morning on the first leg of his attempted one-stop flight to Washington, D. C. The "ace" is using a De Haviland type of plane loaned him by the government. He is scheduled to make Omaha, Neb., the stopping point in his transcontinental flight.

After circling around for two hours, high above day regions, Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker, premier American ace, who took off shortly after 4 o'clock this morning on his one-stop flight to Washington, D. C., was forced to return ,and make landing here at 7 o'clock this morning. The peculiar fog and cloud conditions prevented the flyer from winging on way eastward. Rickenbacker declared that if conditions improved he would hop off again sometime today.

McDOWELL BURIAL RITES AT SKIDMORE TODAY.

Funeral services for Mrs. Walter McDowell, who died early yesterday morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David White at Skidmore, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Skidmore Methodist church, conducted by Rev. C. E. Olsen. Burial was in the Masonic cemetery.

Taft Denies Appointment.

New Haven, Conn., May 26,—"The report has no foundation," said former President Wm. H. Taft today when informed of the report that he had been offered and had accepted the appointment as chief justice of the supreme court of America.

Virginia Robinson Improved.

Miss Virginia Robinson, daughter of Mayor and Mrs. F. P. Robinson who has been ill with small pox at Madison, Wis., where she has been attending school, is now greatly improved. It is thought she will be able to return to Maryville by the last of next week.

To St. Joseph.

Miss Marjorie Trout who has been visiting in Maryville for several days, left this morning for her home in St. Joseph. She was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Mary Margaret Richey, who will spend several days visiting in St. Joseph.

"SLIPPERY SLIM" CASE POSTPONED

ATTORNEYS ASK CONTINUANCE TO SATURDAY, JUNE 4.

NOT RELEASED ON BOND

Correct Name of Robbery Suspect, He Says, Is Charles Smith— Local Officers Attend.

The case of Charles Smith, variously known as Earl Lavellier, LeRoy Smith, "Slippery Slim," and "Hole in the Face," was continued at Savannah today until Saturday, June 4, at the request of his attorneys.

Sheriff Steve Roach and Charles McCaffrey, prosecuting attorney, went to Savannah this morning to attend the preliminary hearing, which had been set for today. They intended to bring the prisoner to Maryville to answer to charges here if he was released on bond at Savannah. He was not able to furnish bond however and will remain in the Andrew County jail. Bond has been fixed at $25,000.

"Slippery Slim" who gave his correct name as Charles Smith when he was arraigned and questioned by the Andrew County prosecuting attorney several days ago. He is charged in that court with robbing a bank at Rea. He is wanted in this county for the alleged burglary of the Enis Brothers store and the Big Four Hardware store at Clyde and of the Simmons store at Parnell. He is also under suspicion of having a part in the robbery of a bank at Des Moines, Iowa.

Smith is said to have been in Maryville when Howard Patterson, a concession man at the Nodaway County Fair in August 1919, was murdered on the High School grounds.

BENEFIT ENTERTAINMENT CHANGED TO MONDAY NIGHT

At First Christian Church—Full Program Announced—For Handicapped Association.

The entertainment which will be given next week at the First Christian church in benefit of the Nodaway County Association for the Physically Handicapped, has been changed to Monday night instead of Tuesday night as first announced. Previous arrangements in regard to using the church, necessitated changing the entertainment to Monday night.

Some of the best talent in the five Protestant churches of Maryville will be used in the program which is as follows:

Gaugh orchestra.
Vocal solo, "Boat Song" (Ware)—Mrs. Charles Thorp.
Reading, "Mrs. Rastus Johnsting at the Weddin'"—Miss Anna Owens.
Vocal solo, selected—Mrs. F. P. Robinson.
Piano solo, selected,—Mrs. S. P. Allison.
Vocal duet, selected,—Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Snodgrass.
Reading—Miss Miriam Gray.
Pipe organ solo, selected,—Miss Ruby Irwin.
Vocal solo, selected—Mrs. O. L. Curl.
Reading—Miss Mabel Raines.
Vocal solo, "A Maid Sings Light, and a Maid Sings Low" (McDowell)—Mrs. Charles Thorp.
Selection by the Gaugh orchestra.

The program will commence at 8 o'clock and admission charges will be twenty-five cents. Miss L. Anna Owens is in charge of the entertainment assisted by Mrs. J. W. Ray and a committee from each of the Protestant churches.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Probably thunder showers to-night and Friday; continued warm to-night, cooler in the northwest portion Friday.

EMPIRE THEATRE TONIGHT

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

1000 DELEGATES ELECTED TO STATE ROAD CONVENTION

Meeting of Rival Representatives Will Be Held During First Week of Special Session.

Jefferson City, May 26.—The $60,000,000 Road Convention which will be held in Jefferson City during the first week of the special session of the Legislature, under the auspices of the Federation of Missoui Commercial Clubs, is attracting Statewide attention.

County conventions which were held in practically every county in the State, have elected over one thousand delegates from the various townships.

The folks in the rural districts are thoroughly aroused on the road question, and are determined to unite on a constructive state-wide road program that will insure every county a square deal under competent state and federal supervision.

Among the counties that are raising funds in the rural districts to pay the expense of their delegates to the State Convention are the following: Bates County 50 delegates; Cass 36; Johnson 50; Barry 30; Newton 30; Knox 30; Putnam 26; Polk 32 and Perry 16.

3,393,335 PEOPLE IN MISSOURI TO 667,196 HOUSES STATISTICS SHOW

Interesting statistics on the state of Missouri as a field for marketing new products have been compiled by Jason Rogers, publisher of the New York Globe, who has printed the results of his investigations in a series of statistical charts, comparing the Missouri figures with those of the other states. According to the charts there are 277,244 farms composed of 34,591,000 acres in Missouri, and the value of these farms is $2,652,917,000 while the average annual crop value is $312,189,000. The charts also show that 3,666 of the farmers in the state are colored and that 244 Missouri farmers pay taxes amounting to $15,239 on net incomes totalling $1,791,827.

The population of the state is given as 3,393,335 and the area as 68,727 square miles. There are 749,812 families in Missouri and 667,196 dwellings the charts show. There are twelve morning and sixty evening newspapers with a combined average daily circulation of 1,557,343, according to the figures.

The manufacturing establishments in the state number 8,386 and employ 152,182 wage earners, earning a total of $89,197,000 annually. The amount of capital invested in the establishments is $522,548,000; the cost of the materials used in one year is $388,715,000 and the value of the products for a year is $637,953,000.

The charts give 415,131 as the number of depositors in the national banks of the state, and $891,200,000 as the total individual deposits in all reporting banks, as of June 1919. The total resources of the national banks in Missouri are given as $745,875,000.

The total tayable wealth in Missouri, according to the charts, is $5,546,000,000, of which $3,364,000,000 is for real property, $93,000,000 for live stock, $613,000,000 for farm machinery, and $267,000,000 for manufacturing machinery. The number of persons making income tax returns in 1916 was 12,965, and these persons had a combined net income of $147,069,303, of which $47,217,200 was subject to income tax amounting to $2,373,327. Only two persons in the state however, have personal incomes of more than $1,000,000 a year, while four have incomes of between $500,000 and $1,000,000 annually. A total of 117 persons in the state pay taxes on incomes of more than $100,000 a year, and 3,144 pay taxes on incomes of between $10,000 and $100,000.

In the professions, 604 lawyers in Missouri pay income taxes of $6,195,945 annually, 576 physicians, $4,069,017, 44 preachers, $215,370, and 49 teachers, $236,841. Capitalists in the state number 2,234 and pay income taxes amounting to $550,341 on net incomes totaling $32,327,397. Merchants and stores paying income taxes number 1,726 and have a combined net income of $23,818,117 annually, the total tax on this amount being $480,626.

The charts also show that the admission tax to theatres and amusements amounted to $1,252,464.57 in 1916, and that in the same year the tax on soda fountain and compounded soft drinks amounted to $46,876.34.

There are three families to each automobile in Missouri, according to Mr. Rogers' figures the number of automobiles in the state being given as 245,000. Expenditures for better roads in 1918, however, amounted to only $7,154,000.

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XLVI.—NEW MEXICO

AS ITS name implies, New Mexico's history is closely allied with Old Mexico. It was the Spanish who were its first explorers, De Vaca visiting this region in 1536 and Coronado four years later. The natives were the Pueblo Indians, although they are somtimes erroneously reputed to have been Aztecs as they were well advanced in the arts and had a comparatively high civilization. These Indians were conquered in 1598 by Juan de Onate and became subject to Spanish rule, being forced to work the mines and pay tribute. Missions were established and Santa Fe was founded about 1605.

Except for a period of ten years when the Indians revolted and maintained their independence, New Mexico remained under Spanish control until in 1821 Mexico gained its independence from Spain and New Mexico became a province of Mexico. Thus it remained until the outbreak of the Mexican war, when in 1846 Colonel Kearny marched from Fort Leavenworth with his troops, occupied Santa Fe and declared this region a part of the United States. By the Treaty with Mexico in 1848, the upper part of the state was formally ceded to the United States and the Territory of Mexico was organized in 1851, which reached from Texas to California.

Arizona was set off from New Mexico in 1863 and a few years later a portion was contributed to Colorado. Application for admission as a state started in 1850, but it was not until 1910 that New Mexico became the forty-seventh state.

New Mexico ranks fourth in size among the states with an area of 122,634 square miles, but is sparsely populated and accordingly has only three electoral votes for President.

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Headaches Caused by Demons.

The skulls of primitive man dug up by modern archeologists frequently show artificial holes made by prehistoric surgeons, probably with the idea of letting out the demons supposed to cause headaches. In most cases evidence of healing at the edges of the opening in the bone shows that the patient recovered from the operation. Whether the headache was cured is not so evident. Perhaps the pain of the operation itself persuaded the patient to forget the original trouble.

To Spend Sumer Here

Miss Manila Stock and Leo Stock of Topeka, Kan., have arrived in Maryville to spend the summer with their mother, Mrs. Eva Stock.

BRYAN EXPECTS TO SEE A NEW LEADER OF PARTY

Chief Hopes for the Future of the Democratic Party Lie in the Matter of Taxation.

Columbus, O., May 25.—William Jennings Bryan brought a message of hope and cheer to members of the Jefferson Club at their picnic here Monday.

"If anyone can preach the gospel of hope it is the man who has resurrected so many times that death seems commonplace," Bryan said, in reference to his appearance.

Leading directly to his subject, "Democracy's Opportunity," Bryan mentioned five mediums through which the Democratic party might rise to success. In point of order named they are a national bulletin for the dissemination of unbiased political news and party opinions, prohibition, reduction of taxes, proper alignment against monopolies and disarmament as a feature of future world peace.

"The most crying need of the country today is the maintenance of unpolluted channels of information so that the public may know what is going on at Washington," he said.

Bryan suggested a tentative plan for his proposed national bulletin and added:

"We don't want a Congressional Record, we don't want a paper such as George Creel published during the war, though both are good.

"We want a daily paper to be issued by the Government whose news columns shall be nonpartisan, but whose editorials shall be bipartisan."

On the issue of prohibition, Bryan said: "The Democratic party cannot avoid the part it has had in bringing prohibition to this country. I am proud of the part it has played in Ohio." With shaking voice, Bryan shouted: "I hope to God you people here will cut loose from the brewers and distillers and represent the homes of the State."

Discussing monopolies, Bryan said that where there was any excuse for the existence of one it should be taken over by the Government. Plutocracy, he said, was the breeding place of revolution.

Bryan's chief hopes for the future of the Democratic party lie in the matter of taxation, he said, and it is there, he said, that he expected to see a new leader of the party arise.

"If the Democrats take a firm stand for the rights of the common man, the man who pays for the wars and fights them, too, then they cannot help but go back into power with a bigger landslide than they went out with."

The first blood shed in the Civil War was on President street, Baltimore, Md., on April 19, 1861, when the Massachusetts Sixth Regiment was attacked.

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FOURTH AND MAIN.
CASH GROCERS

THE ADVANTAGES OF PAYING SPOT CASH FOR EVERYTHING WE PURCHASE
Is Passed Directly to Our Customers. In Times Like the Present Ready Cash Secures Many Concessions.
READ THE LIST WE PRESENT FOR

Friday Bargain Sale

1lb pure ground black Pepper	25c
½lb pure Red Pepper for	20c
35c cakes Premium Chocolate for	20c
2 cakes Sweet Chocolate for	15c
Fresh Cocoanut, bulk, lb	25c
3 cans choice Tomatoes for	25c
35c jars Marshmallow Creme for	25c
35c and 40c jars pure Jams or Preserves for	25c
Tall cans lb each, Salmon	10c
Morrell's sugar cured Pic Nic Hams, lb	16c
Tea for icing, splendid value at, pkg.	25c
Polks' best Sweet Potatoes, quart cans	25c
Hams—whole or half, lb	25c
Postum Cereal, 25c pkgs	20c
Blue Ribbon Beverage (Pabst's) 2 bottles for	25c
5lb pail fine Peanut Butter for	75c
Creamo,	25c
2 lbs for	45c
Worthmore Coffee, lb carton	15c
Cove Oysters, large cans	20c
Cove Oysters, No. 1 cans, 2 for	25c
Calif. Sardines in tomato dressing, large oval cans	20c
White cooking Figs, per lb	20c
Large meaty Prunes, 10 lbs for	$1.00
Calif. seedless Raisins (bulk) fresh shipment, per lb	30c
Evaporated Apricots, lb	30c
Evaporated ePaches, lb	20c
Lard Compound, 8lb for	$1.00
Mexican Beans, 5 lbs	25c
Pine Apple, sliced in syrup, large cans 35c, 3 for	$1.00
Pine Apple, sliced in syrup, No. 2 cans 25c, 3 for	70c
Sliced yellow Peaches (no syrup) large cans	20c
20c pkgs. Corn Flakes for	15c
15c for Shredded Wheat Biscuit.	
16c for Grape Nuts.	
Colton yellow Peaches in syrup big cans	23c
Libby's Rosedale Brand fancy Peaches, large can	28c
B. & M. Fish Flakes, can	14c
Libby's Pear Butter, No. 2 can	25c
Pure Apple Butter, No. 2 cans	18c
13 lbs fine granulated Sugar for	$1.00
Del Monte or Libby's fancy Sugar Corn	20c
Best Iowa pack Sugar Corn, per can	10c
No. 2 cans Pork and Beans only	10c
No. 2 cans Red Marrow Beans for	10c
Del Monte Pimentoes, extra fancy 20c, or 3 cans	50c
Best brands white laundry Soaps, per bar	5c

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HYDE AND LLOYD PREVENT AUTOMOBILE FROM BURNING.

Columbia, Mo., May 26.—When leaving Columbia, after an official visit to the University of Missouri, Governor Arthur M. Hyde and Lieutenant-Governor Hiram Lloyd were called upon to save the automobile in which they were riding from burning. The fire started when the engine back-fired and ignited gasoline in the carburetor. The Governor and Lieutenant-Governor threw sand upon the flames and the fire was smothered before any damage could result.

New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Illinois, California, Iowa, Texas and Michigan have more automobiles than the entire continent of Europe.

Italy converts 1,800 tons of orange blossoms and 1,000 tons of roses into perfume every year.

Only Two Days More
OF OUR GREATEST MAY SALE.
These are Dollar Days

For the great list of wonderful Dollar Bargains see our full page advertisement in this paper last evening.

Haines
The Biggest Little Store in the United States.

Next Monday, May 30, being Decoration Day, this store will be closed all day.

May Bargain Week Closes Saturday

MANY OF OUR SPECIAL BARGAINS ARE NEARLY OR ENTIRELY SOLD OUT. COME WHILE THESE LAST.

	Regular price	Sale price
Tire covers, all popular sizes	$3.00 to $4.50	$ 2.00
Fan belts for Ford cars	$ .50	.25
Handy tire tools	2.00	1.00
Tire patching outfits	.50	.20
Tire patching outfits	1.00	.40
Tire patching outfits	2.00	.75
Goodyear, Firestone and United States Tires 30x3 plain tread	13.05	11.00
Goodyear, Firestone and United States Tires, 30x3½, non-skid	16.10	13.00
Vesuvius Spark Plugs	1.25	.60
Hill Spark Plugs	1.25	.50
Monamobile Spark Plugs	1.00	.50
Superior Spark Plug	1.00	.50
Teco Spark Plugs	.75	.25
Porcelains to fit Champion X plugs	.50	.25

These articles are guaranteed first grade material and subject to present stock only. They will not last long at these prices. Buy tomorrow or you may be too late.

Barmann Auto Co.
Authorized Ford Service Station.
Largest Stock of Automobile Supplies in Northwest Missouri.

Cox's Monthly Sale
Saturday, May 28th—Star Barn

First listed, first sold. List your stuff direct or at
THE STAR BARN
A. J. COX, Auctioneer

ASK MORE DRASTIC 'DRY' LEGISLATION

PROHIBITIONISTS ARE MAPPING OUT VIGOROUS CAMPAIGN.

VOLSTEAD ACT TOO TAME

"Dry" Forces Have Measures to Submit to Congress to Stop All Possible Leaks.

Washington, May 26.—Sahara will be a glistening lake compared to the United States, if the plans of the Prohibitionists meet with the approval of Congress.

The "dry" forces, unsatisfied with the effects of the Volstead law, are mapping out a vigorous campaign to be conducted in the present Congress in an effort to stop up the leaks in the dry law dike.

Prohibitionists are certain that the present Congress is just as "dry" as was the last and they are hopeful that their campaign will meet with success, although they realize that with elections two years distant, pressure can not be as easily applied to this Congress as to the last.

The first step in the campaign to put the lid on intoxicants has been taken by Representative Volstead in introducing a bill to prevent the use of beer and wine as medicines. Only the future can determine the fortunes of this bill, but the "drys" are watching its course with great eagerness, to determine the sentiment of the present Congress.

Other planks in the "dry" platform which will be presented to Congress, are set forth as follows:

1—Congress shall cut off importation of liquors for at least five years.

2—The further manufacture of whiskey shall be prohibited until the present stock is down to a very small reserve basis.

3—The present stock of liquors shall be concentrated by gviing the Commissioner power to move liquors when such action will conduce the enforcement of the prohibition law.

4—The total prohibitive tax shall be assessed against offenders for each offense.

5—Only alcohol, not liquors or wines, shall be allowed to be used as a base for "medicines."

6—Alcohol to be used for legitimate purposes, such as the manufacture of toilet commodities, shall be denatured at the place of original manufacture.

7—The employes of the enforcement organization shall be placed under Civil Service.

8—If the Prohibition Enforcement Department is transferred to the Department of Justice, careful distinction shall be made between those parts of the law which involve criminal investigations and prosecution and such sections as provide for the prohibitive tax, the power to establish chemical standards, etc., which features shall be left to the control of the Commissioner or Internal Revenue.

9—United States Commissioners shall be given power to try misdemeanor offenses against the Prohibition law.

If these laws fail to check the enterprise of thirsty and resourceful Americans, then the "drys" have a few more up their sleeves. They are in earnest about this prohibition business, even if the thirsty are not.

PLANT FOOD AND CORN GROWTH

Plants Need Balanced Ration Just as Do Farm Animals, Says Teacher of Agriculture.

(By Professor M. F. Miller, Department of Soils, Missouri College of Agriculture).

Corn plants need a balanced ration just as do farm animals. Moreover, the plants need the various foods in larger amounts as the plant develops in the same manner as growing animals need increasing amounts of food as they grow larger. The relation which the age of the corn plant bears to the amount of food necessary for proper growth has been under investigation by the department of soils of the University of Missouri for a number of years. In order to determine this it is necessary to grow corn plants in very large pots so that the food used may be carefully controlled. This is in comparable to feeding experiments with animals where it is necessary to keep the animals confined and weigh out carefully the food given them. In these corn experiments the pots are filled with washed white sand to which is added the various plant foods needed for growth, these amounts being varied during the growing season.

These experiments show that corn needs the largest amount of plant food about the time the ear is forming and that the critical time in corn production corresponds with this period. A distinction can be made between the stalk growth and ear production, however, since the stalk growth is most dependent on a large amount of food between time of "laying by" and the time the ear is beginning to form. On the other hand the most important time at which plant food will be needed for ear production covers the period from "laying by" until the plant begins to mature.

Many persons think that corn which is stunted when it is young never recovers from this injury. Our experiments have shown that if the stunting is due to lack of plant food and if a liberal supply of this food is available from about the time the corn is laid by until the time of maturity, the growth of the plants will be only slightly influenced by this early stunting. It has been found, however, that this early stunting followed by heavy feeding later tends to make the plants mature more slowly.

These results have a bearing on field practice in corn production. They indicate that it might be desirable to apply some fertilizer along the row at the second or third cultivation in order to give these large food supplies during the latter part of the growing period, when the ears are forming. Attempts to do this in some of the southern states have met with some success but similar experiments at the Missouri Station thus far have not given very marked results. Nevertheless, the experiments are very suggestive with reference to field experiments.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

LAW PROTECTS TRAVELERS

Drinking Water Carried on Trains and Steamships Must Come From Approved Source on Shore

Another step toward insuring travellers on interstate carriers against the evils of polluted drinking water was taken on April 15, when the laws already in force in regard to railway trains were extended, with necessary modifications, to steamships on lakes and rivers and between United States ports and ports of adjacent countries.

Henceforth water used on such vessels for drinking or cooking must be obtained on shore from a source approved by the U. S. Public Health Service, usually acting in cooperation with State health authorities, or must have been treated by a method approved by the Service. If not obtained ashore the water must be treated or board ship by an approved method.

All water-piping systems on shipboard are required to be so arranged that no connection can be made between the drinking water pipes and pipes for any other water system. Every tap or other source yeilding water unsatisfactory in safety or quality is required to be marked by properly placed signed approved by the Public Health Service, stating that the water is unfit to drink.

By these regulations it is hoped to prevent outbreaks of typhoid fever and dysentery such as have occurred n the past (twice on river steamers in 1920), when passengers were supplied with drinking water taken from badly polluted streams.

Triplets in Installments.

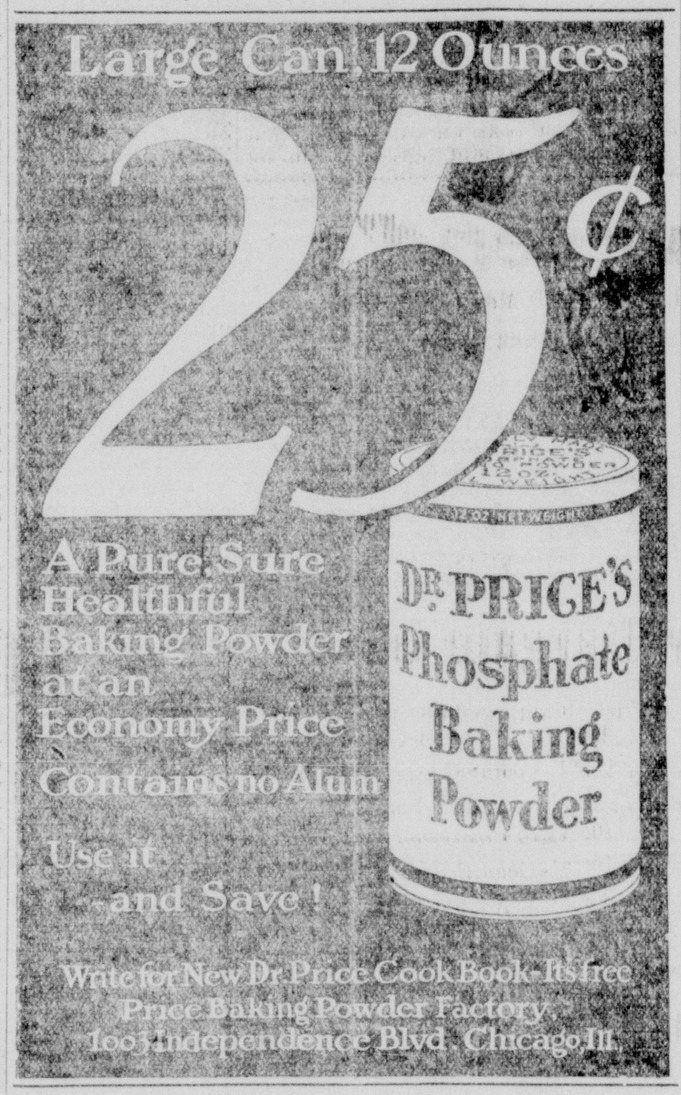
London, May 26.—Triplets in installments.

This remarkable event is chronicled in the official birth returns of Berlin, which have just been published.

The wife of a working man gave birth to two healthy girls. Mother and girls were doing well, when, to the surprise of the doctor, and, one may imagine, the dismay of the father, a third girl was born seven weeks later.

The newest arrival is also a lusty infant, and, according to the latest reports, the whole family is in excellent health.

Up to the time of the Revolution, no country in England was more thoroughly English than the New England Colonies.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Engelmann's appropriate flowers, wreaths and plants for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

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FORD RADIATORS
$18.50

DURING MAY BARGAIN WEEK ONLY.

These radiators are the kind that will keep your motor cool, and guaranteed not to be damaged by freezing.

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The Water's Fine!

The water's fine for a number of things—but it's especially fine for transporting farm produce. Since the invention of the steam locomotive water routes haven't been of much use except for swimming. But they are coming back into style, says

The COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

The freight-rate increases did it. They made it necessary for many farm areas to find new markets or else cheaper rates to the old. Next week's issue tells the story.

Not only are water highways being opened up, not only is ocean shipping supplanting a great deal of the transcontinental hauling, but the agricultural map of the whole country is being changed. A lot of the produce that used to be brought into this very town from distant centers of production will now have to be grown right here or nearer home.

There's only one farm weekly that can tell you about this situation, because there's only one farm weekly *national* in its vision. THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN will keep you in touch with every national farm happening that affects us locally, and it will do it for a **whole year**—52 issues—for **One Dollar**. Of course I'll accept your check!

You'll Agree It's a Real Dollar Bargain

Marion F. Smith

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The Country Gentleman 52 issues—$1.00 | The Ladies' Home Journal 12 issues—$2.00 | The Saturday Evening Post 52 issues—$2.50

The Last Two Days

of the Merchants' Co-operative Trade Week should be the biggest days of the week, and we have prepared values from our regular stock to make them so. The response to our specials was beyond our expectations, and you will find the same values holding good until Saturday night.

IT WILL PAY YOU TO READ CAREFULLY EVERY ITEM LISTED AS EVERYTHING ADVERTISED IS A SUMMER SPECIAL THAT YOU ARE IN NEED OF NOW.

At 9c a Yard

27 inch apron check ginghams, heavy quality, assorted patterns, priced very low at.....9c

At 18c a Yard

32 inch French ginghams, beautiful stripe and plaid designs, an exceptional value at 18c. This same quality has been selling at 50c now only 18c

At 22c a Yard

We are selling our best Toul Du Norde dress ginghams at this low price. A big range of new patterns to choose from.

At 13c a Yard

We are selling one lot of large plaid, good quality dress ginghams at this low price, which can not be duplicated in Maryville. The patterns are as good as you buy it in the better ginghams.

At 9c a Yard

Best American prints are now selling for 9c. New patterns to choose from for Trade Week in all shades that prints are made in.

At 98c a Yard

we are offering the best value in 72 inch mercerized table damask to be had. Special quality and new patterns arrived for this sale.

At 15c a Yard

We are offering our 25c grade of 36 inch cretonnes for comforts. You can save 10c a yard on this item if you buy from us.

At 25c a Yard

45 inch colored table oil cloth in a big range of new patterns. This item is indeed a special value and should not be overlooked.

At 9c and 12c a Yard

Full 39 inch unbleached muslin, an exceptional quality at these low prices. We are making very attractive prices on all grades of muslins. Note the width.

At 50c a Pair

We are offering our $1.00 grade of Kayser make chamoisette 16 button length gloves. Just the glove you need for summer wear.

At $1.45

we are offering our $2.50 grade of black messaline silk for this sale only. A liberal reduction for this quality.

At 98c

One lot of middies worth $1.50 are offered this week at 98c. Made in the new improved style.

At 18c a Yard

we are selling the best grade of cheviot shirting for dress and work shirts—patterns for both purposes. It pays to buy a good grade for summer wear, and our price is very low.

At 20c a Yard

A new shipment of shirting madras enables us to offer you the lowest price and new patterns for men's and boys' dress shirts. Beautiful stripe patterns that will appeal to you.

At 5c Each

we are offering our 10c grade of towel ends, suitable for wash cloths, extra heavy weight and large size.

The price will interest you on these items:

5 cards of pearl buttons for.....10c
Full count pins, a paper.....5c
$1.00 quality brassieres, sizes 34 to 38, each.....50c
$1.50 muslin gowns for.....98c
Ladies' summer weight union suits, very special for.....38c

WE SELL MORE HOSIERY BECAUSE WE GIVE BEST QUALITY FOR THE PRICE.
Every item is a money saver.

Ladies' black silk hose, our 75c grades for.....68c
Ladies' black silk hose, our $1.50 grade for.....98c
Ladies' black silk hose, our $2.50 grades for.....$1.50
Full fashioned extra heavy silk hose in black and colors are now only, per pair.....$2.00
Children's black ribbed hose, all sizes a pair.....12c
Ladies' black and brown cotton hose, a pair.....10c and 15c

Very Special

For this week we are offering a 64 inch highly mercerized table damask in beautiful patterns for only, a yard.....50c
Note the width and price on this item when you make your comparisons.

At 19c

To advertise our special brand of rubber hair pins we are offering all 25c packages this week for 19c.

NEW FIGURED VOILES FOR SUMMER WEAR

This time of the year people are looking for cool things and these new voiles are just wha you are looking for for cool summer dresses—the patterns are new, entirely different from the early showing and the prices very attractive. A good showing of colored organdies now in stock.

NEW CAMISOLES, WHITE COTTON AND SILK PETTICOATS AND BLOOMERS have arrived for summer selling. We are showing very attractive styles in these garments and the prices are much lower this season which will mean an incentive to buy the ready made things. The new camisoles are very attractive in light and dark colors ranging in price from.....$1.50 to $2.50

At 11c a Yard

18 inch full bleached Barnsley crash, same quality that has been selling for 25c a yard, now only 11 cents.

At 25c

all linen handkerchiefs in colors, very fine quality and certainly priced very low at 25c. See these.

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Classified "wants," one cent per word first insertion and one-half cent per word for each subsequent insertion, no advertisement for less than 25c

Classified wants, by the month, per line (six words) per month 70c

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE.

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at the Democrat-Forum office. Lease of Farm, Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattel Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed. J5-tf

FOR SALE—Well improved 80, might consider small town property. John Graves, Maryville, Route 2. M21-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—4 room cottage, one lot, 421 South Vine; 5 room cottage, 213 East 5th St., both clean and nice; also 502 East 1st St., the best modern 11 room home in the city. See me at office. I cannot talk business over the phone. Chas. Hyslop. M26tf.

FOR SALE—Spirella Corsets, Mrs. Henry Cook, both phones. A.30-M.28

FOR SALE—13 pure bred White Leghorn hens. Mrs. John Neal, 602 East Fourth. Hanamo 3645. 24-26

FOR SALE—Sweet potato plants, Nancy Hall and Jersey, 50c per 100. F. M. Grundel, Farmers 50-18. 24-26

FOR SALE—Fireless cooker, good as new, used only short time, aluminum utensils; for less than half price. Inquire Democrat-forum. 26-28

FOR SALE—Good large wooden packing boxes. D. E. Hotchkin, Third and Main. 25-27

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—Second hand furniture, stoves, rugs, etc., of all kinds. Case Furniture Store, 208 N. Main St., Han. 530, Far. 310. S27tf.

WANTED—Bath robes, blankets and curtains to launder. Mrs. Anna Belcher, 206 N. Newton, Hanamo 526. 17-30*

WANTED—To hear from someone having a piano to rent. Call 830 S. Buchanan, Hanamo 3241. 24-26

LOST—A white cashmere baby coat on Maryville-Savannah road Saturday. Return to Democrat-Forum. 24-26

JUST IN—large line of used library tables, bird's eye dressing table and chiffoneer walton rugs, brass beds, dining tables and chairs, buffets, bookcases, ivory dresser, kitchen range, lounges and kitchen cabinets. Case Furniture Exchange. 26-28

FOR RENT—Rooms, 2 downstairs and 2 upstairs in modern house. Light housekeeping facilities if desired, priced very reasonable. Phone Hanamo 6441 or Farmers 156-23. 26-28

FOR RENT—A room in modern home. 610 E. Fourth street. 24-26

WANTED—We want you to know that we have a wonderful machine that will thoroughly wash your rugs and carpets, restore the color, destroy moths and germs, making them absolutely sanitary. Satisfaction guaranteed. Hanamo 611, Hamilton Beach Cleaners. 25-tf

GOVERNMENT — needs Railway Mail Clerks. Salary $133 to $192 month. Traveling expenses paid. Examination announced soon. Write for free specimen questions. Columbus Institute, Columbus, Ohio. M5-tf

WE WANT—a lady or gentleman agentfor the genuine J. R. Watkins products in Maryville and other vacant towns. A big opportunity for any hustler. Write today for free sample and free particulars of our wonderful offer. J. R. Watkins Co., 64, Winona, Minn. M5-tf

FINAL BARGAINS—in May Sales Week. Choice of fine line of library tables, $27.50; army cots and 20 lb. mattress, $7.50; new oak dining chairs, saddle seat, $17.50; Case Furniture Exchange. 26-28

WANTED

Horses and mules. Phone what you have—I will call and buy or invoice them.

J. A. Ford

Hanamo 31. Far. 161.

MARKET REPORTS

Kansas City, May 26.—CATTLE — Receipts, 4,000; steers, $7 to $8; cows, $6 to $8.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,500; top, $8.00; bulk, $7.65 to $7.90.

CORN—May, 53¾.

WHEAT—May, $1.47.

Chicago, May 26.—CATTLE— Receipts, 7,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 32,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000.

St. Joseph, May 26.—CATTLE—Receipts 1,500; 25 cents lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,000; top $7.80; 25 cents lower.

SHEEP—Receipts 2,500; slow.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Eggs, per dozen	14c
Hens, per lb	17c
Spring chickens, per lb	30c
Roosters, per lb	6c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	8c
Butterfat, per lb	18c
Hides, per lb	3c

FOR SALE—sweet potato plants; also thoroughbred Hampshire weanling pigs. These are good as grow. East end Normal drive tent. 26-28*

FOR SALE—Registered Chester White herd boar, also 2 year old sow bred for middle of June farrow. Josh Bliss. Hanamo 5484. 26-28

Chinese are said to destroy ten million dollars worth of gold annually by their custom of burning small pieces of gold leaf on certain anniversaries.

In the second dentition, the second molars appear from the twelfth to the thirteenth year, and the third molars from the seventeenth to the twenty-fifth years.

Skeletons and cremated ashes of human beings buried about 2000 B. C., have been found in England.

Fish are believed to have a keen sense of smell.

N. B. standing for the Latin "nota bene," means "note well," "take notice."

The Dolan Mercantile Company of Atchinson Kansas, a wholesale grocery firm, which have been in business for more than twenty-five years, had a fire a few days ago, amounting to more than two hundred thousand dollars. They have thousands of cases of canned vegetables, canned fruits, canned milk and many other grocery items which have been slightly damaged by water. The reputation of this firm is such that they do not want to sell these goods to their regular customers and on next Thursday at their warehouse at Atchinson, Kansas, they will put these items on sale at bargain prices. If you need only twenty-five cases of canned goods, it will pay you to attend this sale.—Adv

EXPECTANT MOTHERS
For Three Generations Have Made Child-Birth Easier By Using —
MOTHER'S FRIEND
SOLD BY ALL DRUG STORES
WRITE FOR BOOKLET ON MOTHERHOOD AND THE BABY. FREE
BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., DEPT. 9-D. ATLANTA, GA.

WIFE TAKES HUSBANDSADVICE

And Is Made Well Again by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Springfield, Mass.—"The doctor told my husband that I had to have an operation, otherwise I would be a sickly woman and could not have any more children on account of my weakened condition. I refused to have the operation. My husband asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to see if it would not help me. For the first four months I could do but little work, had to lie down most of the time, was nervous and could eat hardly anything, but my husband was always reminding me to take the Vegetable Compound, which I did. Of my eight children this last one was the easiest birth of all and I am thankful for your Vegetable Compound. I recommend it to my friends when I hear them complaining about their ills."—Mrs. M. NATALE, 72 Fremont St., Springfield, Mass.

Sickly, ailing women make unhappy homes, and after reading Mrs. Natale's letter one can imagine how this home was transformed by her restoration to health. Every woman who suffers from such ailments should give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial. It is surely worth while.

31 WILL GET DIPLOMAS AT POLK TWP. EXERCISES

Program Will Be Held in First Methodist Church at 2 O'clock Saturday

Rural eighth grade graduates of Polk township and a few from White Cloud township will be presented with diplomas at exercises at the First Methodist church next Saturday afternoon. There are thirty-one in the class.

The program arranged at the office of Superintendent Bert Cooper does not include all the schools. A number of teachers have signified their intention of furnishing one or more numbers for the program but have not yet sent it in. These will be added as they arrive. The tentative program is as follows:

Opening prayer—The Rev. O. L. Curl.
Violin solo—Prof. C. D. Kutschinski.
Reading—Earl Evans, Blackmore school.
Song—Boys of Council Corner school.
Recitation—Leland Strauch, Lasher school.
Song—Iola Dowden, Myrtle Tree school.
Reading — Clifford Yager, Gill school.
Song—Opal and Nina Ramey, Martha Washington school.
Reading — Everett Benham, Bell Grove school.
Piano solo—Maxine Nicholas, Walker school.
Recitation—Evaline Neal, Highland school.
Song—Lloyd Dowden, Myrtle Tree school.
Reading — Vincent Felix, Martha Washington school.
Song—Mary Alice Jones, Rockford school.
Piano solo—Dawn Combs, Eudora school.
Duet—Hazel Moody and Mary Jane McGinnis, Swallow school.
Reading—Prof. H. A. Miller.

Presentation of diplomas—Supt. Bert Cooper.

The program will begin at 2 o'clock.

The following pupils will be presented with diplomas: Earl Evans, Mary Cromwell, Arminta Collins, Inez L. Lacy, Edward Steins, Bessie Lee Slauson, Viola Sloan, Dorothy McCord, Roma McGinniss, Dawn McCombs, Ernest Neal, Lumeda Nelson, Maxine Nicholas, Leo O'Day, Jessie Cleo Roach, Ruth Ramey, Baublets Wright, Clifford Yager, Everett Benham, Byron Busby, David Acklin, Iola Dowden, Leslie Dowden, Raymond Eckles, Clifford Ray Froyd, John Byron Jones, Paul W. Curram, Edith Partridge, Franklin Dowden, Ralph Clemons and Dennis C. Carmichael.

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GROCERY LIST FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

2½ size can Richelieu or Acropolis Sliced Pine Apple, 2 cans	75c
2½ size can Suburban Y. F. Peaches in syrup	23c
2½ size can Suburban Apricots in syrup	23c
2½ size can Aleo Y. F. Peaches not in syrup	19c
2½ size can Commander Apricots, not in syrup	19c
2 size can Roman Gold Yellow Cling Peaches, extra selected California Fruit in good syrup	23c
Gal. can Frontier Y. F. Peaches solid pack	70c
Gal. can Frontier Apricots, solid pack	75c
No. 2 can Sturgeon Bay Red Pitted Cherries, solid pack, not in syrup, extra fine quality, 2 for	55c
B. and R. Fruit Nectar for cool drinks, 4 oz. bottle	35c
4lbs Fancy Jap Rice	25c
Wisconsin Cream Cheese, 2 lbs for	45c
Crémo, per lb 25c; 2 lbs for	45c
6 bars Joy White Laundry Soap	25c
Joy o' Wheat—It's toasted breakfast food	23c
12-oz. bottle O-Cedar Polish	45c
Military steel cut Coffee, per pkg	35c
Large round pkgs. Banner Rolled Oats	24c
Arm and Hammer Brand Sal Soda, 2½ lbs	10c
Ivory Soap Flakes, pkg.	10c
5lb pkgs. XXX Graham Health Flour	40c
3 lbs California Prunes	25c
½lb pkgs. Hershey's Cocoa	20c
5lb pail Bumble Bee Crystal White Syrup	32c
10lb pail Bumble Bee Crystal White Syrup	60c
Tall tumbler Frontier Brand Prepared Mustard	10c
2lb can Pond's Peanut Butter	38c
2 pkgs. American Beauty Macaroni	15c

DEAN COLBERT GIVES TALK TO INDOOR PICNICKERS.

A fair sized crowd attended the monthly indoor picnic held last night at the First Methodist Church. An excellent talk was given by Dean G. H. Colbert of the State Teachers College who spoke on "The College and the Community." Dean Colbert told of the growth of the college from a Normal to a State Teachers College. Since he has been connected with the school since its opening, fifteen years ago, he gave an account of the improvements which have been accomplished in that time. He also spoke on the influence of the college in the community, and the correspondece and extension work which the Maryville College is doing.

Dr. O. L. Curl, pastor of the First Methodist church, gave a few remarks, and C. D. Kutschinski's orchestra played.

CONDITION OF MISS BIRD ABOUT THE SAME TODAY.

The condition of Miss Nettie Bird, who was injured yesterday when she was thrown from a buggy in a runaway, was about the same today. Her condition is not thought serious.

ODD FELLOWS HAVE LARGE CLASS FOR INITIATION.

With twelve candidates for initiation and one application for admission to the lodge by transfer, the Maryville I. O. O. F. will have an unusually large class for initiation at the next meeting, Tuesday, June 7. These applications were received at the meeting last Tuesday night. Several others had been received previously and will probably be initiated at the same time. Work in the higher degrees may also be given.

HAS AN IMPRESSIVE EXHIBIT

Scott M. Swisher, who edits the Lesueur Center (Minn.) Leader-Democrat, sometime ago saved all the propaganda and free publicity matter sent to him during twelve months for use in his weekly newspaper, and pasted it in a big scrap book which he called "The Big Book of Bunk." The stuff, which filled its pages to the limit, was convincing proof of the extent to which free publicity seekers attempt to grab space at the editor's expense.

Mr. Swisher took the book with him to the annual meeting of the Minnesota Editorial Association, where he exhibited it to the members It proved to be an eye-opener to many of them who apparently were unaware of the wholesale manner in which they were being bunncoed. Prof. Kirkwood, of the University of Minnesota, was so impressed by it, that he asked Mr. Swisher to turn the volume over to him for use in his classes of journalism, where he afterward found it of great service in impressing upon his students the menacing evil of free publicity.

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One of Interest to Our Readers.

Good news bears repeating, and when it is confirmed after a long lapse of time, even if we hesitate to believe it at first hearing, we feel secure in accepting its truth now. The following experience of the Maryville woman is confirmed after eight years.

Mrs. Martha Partridge, 901 E. 4th St., Maryville, says: "Some years ago I suffered from kidney and bladder complaint and I felt languid. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and received great relief and I am glad to recommend them. I cannot say too much in favor of Doan's." (Statement given December 13, 1911.) On March 31, 1920, Mrs. Partridge said: "I wish to confirm my former statement of 1911 as to the benefits obtained from using Doan's Kidney Pills. I have not had a return of the trouble and I am glad to say Doan's have permanently cured me."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy — get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Partridge had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Fined $5 for Fighting.

Tom Hickman, a student at the State Teachers College, was fined $5 and costs, a total of $10.65 in police court this morning for fighting. The arrest was made by Chief of Police Eph Tilton following an altercation between Hickman and William Mapel, another student, at the corner of Fourth and Main streets. Mapel testified for Hickman at the trial, insisting that Hickman's action was due to a misunderstanding.

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FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

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Belts of wampum (shell money), sometimes called "seewan," were recognized by both the Dutch and English about New York for a long time as currency.

The first marine insurance, according to the conjecture or Suetonius, was in the year 43.

Sea water contains certain ingredients, such as compounds of iodine, which makes it useful as an internal medicine in certain illnesses.

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These prices are good until the last day of May.

Ginghams, fast colors at ..... 14c yd

Dress percale, 36 inches wide, light or dark shades at ..... 15c yard

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Curtain scrim at ..... 10c yd

Fine table oil cloth at ..... 35c yard

Ladies' vests at 2 for 25c

Ladies' every day hose at ..... 15c pair

Ladies' Humming Bird Pure Silk hose, $2.00 value for this sale reduced to ..... $1.25 pair

Ladies' Black Cat silk hose at ..... 98c pair

Ladies' College Girl silk fibre hose at 50c pair

Ladies' house dresses at 98c

Ladies' muslin gowns at 98c

Muslin envelope chemise at 59c

Ladies' silk gloves at 98c

Form fit brassieres, front or back hooked 49c

Children's hose in black at ..... 15c pair

Girls' fancy gingham dresses at 98c

Girls' union suits at 45c

Girls' jersey blomers in black at 39c

Boys' Balbriggan union suits at 45c

Boys' overalls, size 3 to 8 at 50c

Men's 2-piece shirts or drawers at 50c each

Men's hose at ..... 15c—or 2 pairs for 25c

Cap shape hair nets at 4 for 25c

Men's khaki pants at $1.50

Men's unionalls in khaki or blue at $2.75

Big reduction in all our shoes. Buy the whole leather line shoes for the family and be assured of satisfaction.

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Social Gossip and Clubs

Organize Club.

Miss Hazel Jones entertained with a picnic yesterday at her home south of Pickering at which time a club was organized to be known as the K. I. D. club. The officers elected were president, Miss Hazel Jones; vice-president, Miss Rowena Hull; secretary, Miss Leta Gray; treasurer, Miss Wanda Hinton. The members are Mrs. Alvin Gray, Thelma Mann, Lerita Lett, Audrey Birkenholz, Crystal Copeland, Rowena Hull, Wanda Hinton, Helen Strong, Ola Gray, Leta Gray and Hazel Jones. Miss Irene Gray was a visitor. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 8, at the home of Miss Audrey Birkenholz.

Movie Party.

The Pi Epsilon Pi Sorority enjoyed a movie party last night at the Empire theatre followed by a luncheon at the Maryville Drug store. Those in the party were the sponsor, Mrs. W. J. Montgomery, Misses Elizabeth Leet, Helen Dean, Mary Wooldridge, Ellen Mitchell, Vi June Colden, Marie Wright, Abbie Bel Colden, Mary Condon, Mabel Cook, Alice Peery, Mildred Shinabargar and Marie Price.

I. I. Club.

The Ireland Industrial club was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lee Winn, northwest of Maryville. Following the working hour, refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Ed Babb and daughter, Miss Leta. Those attending the meeting were Mrs. John Deardorff, Mrs. Ed Gingrich, Mrs. Lon Hughes, Mrs. Ray McDowell, Mrs. Mary Wagner, Mrs. Charles Garrett, Mrs. Ed Babb, Mrs. Andrew Fink and Mrs. B. C. Hall, Misses Sarah Garrett, Leta Babb, Pauline Hall and Harold and Dean Gingrich, Raymond Deardorff, Forrest McDowell and Dale Winn. The club will be entertained on June 8, at the home of Mrs. Ed Babb.

Social Hour Club.

A social meeting of the Social Hour club was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Theodore Gray near Pickering. The meeting opened with a song by the club and the reading of a passage from the Bible by Mrs. Denver Loch. Mrs. Gray was assisted in serving by Mrs. Mert Morris and Mrs. Roy McMullin. The visitors for the afternoon were Mrs. Floyd Gray and son, Floyd of Keystone, Okla., and Mrs. Nan Gray of Pickering. The members attending were Mrs. Floyd Fakes, Mrs. Roy McMullin and daughter, Eva, Mrs. George Porterfield, Mrs. Emmett Gray and daughter, Beulah, Mrs. Omar Strong, Mrs. J. F. Hanna, Mrs. Ernest Stafford, Mrs. Denver Loch, Mrs. Rich Spurgeon, Mrs. Edgar Houstin, Mrs. Charles Fakes, Mrs. Will Spangler, Mrs. Leslie Hanna and son, Lloyd, and the hostess. The next meeting will be held on June 8, at the home of Mrs. J. F. Hanna. If the weather permits, the meeting will be held out of doors, and the children will give a program.

Science Instructor Surprised.

George Wamsley, instructor of science at the Maryville High School, was given a surprise party this morning during the lesson period of the 4A geometry class. The lesson was dispensed with and a social time and refreshments of ice cream and wafers were enjoyed. The members of the class are Lota Claire Landfather, Minnie Evans, Richard Baker, Floyd Cook, Katherine Remus, Roberta Cook, Alsamene King, Volta Ringgold, Dorothy White, Hettie Mae Woodward, Ned Colbert, Mary Coe, Rowena Shinabargar, Lois Hartman, Dorothy England, Hope Moore, Clio Holt, Helen Lehmer, Joe Gray, Vira Fitz, Ethel Wallace, John Smith, Harold Moore, Margaret Louise Hosmer and Louise Peery.

Children's Party.

Miss Edith Rice entertained the children of the kindergarten of the State Teachers College yesterday afternoon at the home of her brother, Robert Rice and Mrs. Rice, on West Third street. Miss Rice has been teaching the children during the past term, and the party was a farewell affair as she will leave tonight for St. Joseph to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Rice. The children were Elizabeth Bartram, Roland Cornell, Mary Hamilton, Roy Franklin Johnston, Olive Johnston, Pallas Athena Krist, Jesse Douglas Jr., Helen Leet, Vivian Miller, Virginia Miller, Marian Miller, Helen Marjorie Reavis, Helena Robey, Virginia Watt, Ray and Robert Snodgrass, Sarah Katherine Thorp, Ruth Brumbaugh, Martin Brewer, Warren Wood and Jimmie Wells.

Needle Work Club.

Thirteen members of the Pickering Needle Work club attended the meeting held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Wiley. Mrs. John V. Hawk was a visitor at the meeting. The members were Mrs. E. L. Crowson, Mrs. Marvin Hall, Mrs. Ed Herbert, Mrs. Ross Lincoln, Mrs. Joseph Carmichael, Mrs. Roland Wray, Mrs. Roy Wolfers, Mrs. Wilbur Smith, Mrs. William Hinton, Miss Mary Wolfers, Miss Blanche Hinton and Mrs. Claude Noland. The next meeting of the club will be held on June 8, at the home of Mrs. Joseph Carmichael.

Pope Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pope living near Hopkins were hosts at a family dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold B. Pence of Nowata, Oklahoma, who are visiting relatives in the country. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Pence, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pope and son, Floyd, Jr., Mrs. Maggie Dougan and Pauline Mahoney all of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Pence of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Pence and son, Elbert Andrew of Mound City, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dowling, Rolfe, Delos, Beverly, Francis, Eugene and Elizabeth Dowling, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Trueblood, Earl, Maud and Theron Pope.

I. X. L. Club

Mrs. Bert Null was hostess to a meeting of the I. X. L. Embroidery club at a meting held yesterday afternoon at her home. The usual needlework and social hours were enjoyed. Plans were made to give a picnic sometime during the month of June in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mutz, who leave the last of June for California to spend the summer with their daughters. Jessie and Lou. Complete arrangements for the picnic will be made later. Mrs. Fred Curfman assisted Mrs. Null in serving About twenty members attended the meeting.

Teachers' Dinner Party

The grade teachers of the Maryville Public Schools will enjoy a dinner tomorrow at noon at the Balnum Hotel. Covers will be laid for Miss Fannie Hope, Mrs. Dave Seckington, Mrs. E. T. Dale, Mrs. A. T. Estes, Mrs. Lizetta Gray, Mrs. L. E. Ziegler, Misses Dena Hartman, Mary Lewis, Ada Albert, Mary Wallace, Gladys Allen, May Mahoney, Ruby Irwin, Vella Booth, Cassie Abshire, Alice Worst, Mary Ford and Lucile Holmes.

Visited at Clearmont.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bell, Mrs. J. D. Richey and Miss Mary Bell of Liberty, Mo. motored to Clearmont today and were guests at the home of Mrs. John Clary.

To Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Robinson will be hosts at dinner tomorrow night at their home entertaining in courtesy to Mrs. W. S. Gray and daughter, Rebecca Ellen, of Santa Barbara, Cal., and Miss Mary Bell of Liberty, Mo.

Postpone Meeting.

The meeting of the Rosana Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star scheduled for tomorrow night, has been postponed on account of the graduating exercises of the Baryville High School.

Another Death in Political Feud

Chicago, May 26.—The political feud in the bloody 19th ward cost another life today when gangsters shot to death Michael Licar, trusted lieutenant of Anthony D' Andret, slain political czar. Licari was shot four times by two gun men on the sidewalk at his home. A loaded automatic was in Licari's hand when the body was found by the police but he had not been able to use it.

Guests At Allan Home.

Miss Margaret Judah of De Kalb, Mo., arrived in Maryville last night to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Allan and to attend the graduating exercises of her cousin, Russell Allan.

Mrs. E. T. Rasmussen who ha sbeen visiting in Maryville the last few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Crane, has returned to her home at Riverton, Neb.

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BAPTISTS IN 2021 MAY NUMBER 200,000,000

The Rev. J. A. Cooper Gives Report Of Southern Baptist Convention At Chattanooga.

The Rev. J. A. Cooper gave a report of the Southern Baptist Convention which he attended recently at Chattanooga, Tenn., at the mid-week service held last night at the First Baptist church.

The following is a part of Mr. Cooper's report which contains interesting figures:

"At the meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention at Chattanooga, May 12 to 19, there were more than 5,000 delegates present, to say nothing of visitors, and there were workers and missionaries from practically every part of the Home and Foreign fields of the Convention territory. The Convention is said to represent the largest single body of religious people in the world, the membership of the churches of the Southern Baptist Convention being at the time of meeting 2,199,005. Attention was called to the fact that if Baptists maintain for the next one hundred years their growth of the last one hundred years there will be 200,000,000 Baptists in the world.

"Some interesting figures were presented to the Convention, suggesting the work which has been done in this territory by Baptists during the last year and the size of various activities and organizations.

"In the territory of the Convention there were 173,000 additions to white Baptist churches during the last year; contributions to current expenses for the year were $20,843,000 and for missions and benevolences $14,037,000, making a total of nearly $35,000,000; during the year 3,564 women's missionary societies were organized, and the Women's Missionary Union raised a total of $3,115,000 for denominational purposes.

"At the present time there are within the bounds of the Southern Baptist Convention 27,444 local churches, 20,420 Sunday schools with 1,966,610 pupils, 6,786 Senior B. Y. P. U.s and 2,188 Junior B. Y. P. U.s, with church property valued at $97,732,000.

"At the time of adjournment it had not been decided where the Convention would meet next year. So large has attendance become that only six cities qualified as being able to take care of it; these cities are Jacksonville, Houston, Atlanta, Hot Springs, St. Louis and Kansas City."

AMMONIA FUMES NEARLY BLIND MRS. M. HEWITT

Suffers Intense Pain When Concentrated Solution Burns Face and Enters Eyes.

Mrs. M. Hewitt, who lives with Mrs. Ina Gray, two miles southeast of Maryville, is suffering torturing pain today in St. Francis hospital as the result of ammonia burns on her face, lips and eyes.

Mrs. Hewitt attempted to open a bottle of concentrated ammonia about 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon to sterilize some cooking utensils, preparatory to taking them on a camping trip. When the cork was pulled from the bottle, the contents spattered over her face and penetrated into her eyes. She immediately washed the solution from her face, and was brought to Maryville, where treatment was given her eyes. She is suffering intense pain today, but the attending physicians think blindness will be prevented.

EIGHTH GRADE EXERCISES AT BARNARD FRIDAY NIGHT.

The graduating exercises for the eighth grades of Grant and a part of White Cloud townships will be held tomorrow night at Barnard.

The graduates are Orville Tomkins, Leo J. Russell, Reba Warren, John W. Thompson, Goldia Alkire, Ernest E. Stalling, Ellen Jane Swinford, Grace Moffitt, Amanda Pope and Mary Yeisley.

To Bolckow.

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Lyle and their daughter, Mrs. Merrill Alderman of Marshall, Mo., who is visiting here, went to Bolckow this morning.

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Many of the lots are limited in quantity, therefore it is to your advantage to come early. The sale begins at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

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New Way to Tag New Born Babies

If this method of tagging new born babes had been in vogue centuries ago perhaps we would never have heard of the tale of Solomon and the babe. For this is a sure way of preventing Mrs. Riley from getting Mrs. Wilhelm's baby. Such mistakes have happened in large hospitals but now under the system pictured each and every new baby has a piece of adhesive tape stuck on its little back and on the tape is written the name of the babe's mother, the ward and bed number.

FARMER IS A MILLIONAIRE, SAY SOIL SURVEY EXPERTS

Average 160-Acre Farm Holds More Than A Million Dollars in Nitrogen, Phosphorus and Potash

Farm credits are likely to undergo radical improvement when the truth concerning soil wealth is fully known. When consideration is given the revelation of the Missouri Soil Survey that the top seven inches of soil on a 160-acre farm hold more than a million dollars' worth of nitrogent, phosphorus and potash it should be less difficult for a farmer of good character to get a few hundred dollars with which to plow and plant it.

The elements considered in soil fertility are nitrogen, phosphorus and potash because these are the elements generally deficient in the soil and supplied in manure and commercial fertilizers. The present commercial value of these elements when bought as fertilizer is 37½ cents a pound for nitrogen, 8 cents a pound for phosphorus and 20 cents a pound for potash.

The average composition of the top seven inches of Missouri soils is 2,741.6 pounds of nitrogen, 1,201 pounds of phosphorus and 28,650 pounds of potash an acre, according to H. H. Krusekopf of the Missouri College of Agriculture. The monetary value of this material at the rate would be $1,018.72 for the nitrogen, $96.08 for the phosphorus and $5,720 for the potash or a total of $6,844.80 for each acre. The average size of the Missouri farm is 132 acres. On this basis the average value of the surface seven inches of soil of the Missouri farm is $903,513.60. It is evident that every farmer who owns a quarter section of average Missouri land is a millionaire—measured in soil fertility. Fortunately this wealth has as yet escaped the notice of Congress and the tax collector, and has not been included in the estimate of the land agent.

Mis Marie Turner of Barnard came to Maryville today to attend the graduating excercises of the Maryville High School. While here she will be a guest of Miss Hester DeNeen.

Miss Hazel Miller of Arkoe was a Maryville visitor today.

HOPKINS WILL OBSERVE DECORATION DAY SUNDAY

Glen Ulmer Post, American Legion, Will Have Charge, With Kansas City Speaker.

Decoration Day will be observed at Hopkins under the direction of Glen Ulmer Post of the American Legion, according to the Hopkins Journal. While the day falls on Monday, it will be observed in Hopkins on Sunday. The oration of the day will be delivered by Sergeant-Major J. Gillis of Kansas City.

The Decoration Day services this year are under the direction of Glen Ulmer Post, No. 107, American Legion, and while the day falls on Monday, it will be observed in Hopkins on Sunday.

Graves will be decorated in the forenoon and the program given in the afternoon as follows:

At one o'clock, the Legion will meet at headquarters and march to the Christian church headed by the Hopkins band and members of the Grand Army of the Republic. The program at the church begins at 1:30 with music by the band followed by a song by a select quartet and prayer by Rev. B. E. Kertchman, pastor of the Presbyterian church.

This will be followed by another selection by the quartet when Sergeant Major J. John Gillis, of Kansas City will deliver the oration of the day. Major Gillis was stationed at Camp MacArthur, Waco, Texas, for seven months as a bayonet instructor and later was on special duty at Camp Beauregard, Alexandria, Louisiana, as one of the attorneys attached to the Demobilization Board. He is prominent as an attorney in Kansas City and speaker of pronounced ability and the Legion is to be congratulated on securing him for this Memorial Day address.

After the address by Major Gillis, the audience will join in singing America and then proceed to the Hopkins cemetery where the program will be given at the G. A. R. plot.

There will be music by the band, an iddress by Rev. Ben D. Gillispie, pastor of the Christian church and the benediction by Rev. W. M. Ballenger of the Baptist church. Taps.

Everybody is asked to bring flowers and see that all graves are properly decorated.

Hid Liquor in Baby's Crib

Boston, May 26.—When you want to find illicit liquor look in the baby's crib.

At least, that's the advice the Cambridge police give after their experience. They searched the whole apartment of Paul Truco, at No. 39 School street, in vain, but when they rifled the mattress beneath two children peacefully asleep in a crib they found thirty-two full pints of gin and whiskey.

Guests at Fraser Home

Mrs. J. B. Brewer of Okmulgee, Okla., is expected to arrive in Maryville today for a visit with her perents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fraser and to attend the graduating exercises of her sister, Miss Justine Fraser, of the Maryville High Schol. Paul Fraser and litle son, Jr., of Kansas City are also expected to arrive here today for the graduating exercises.

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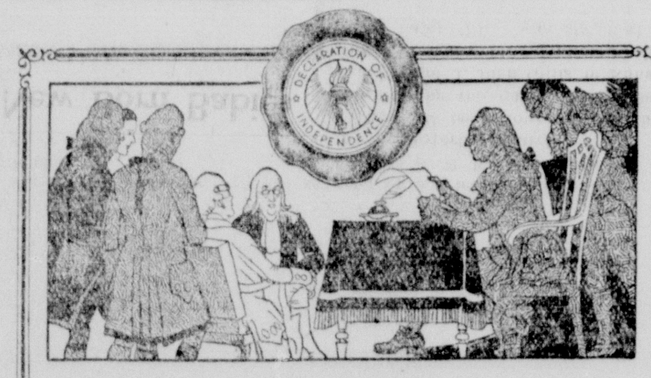

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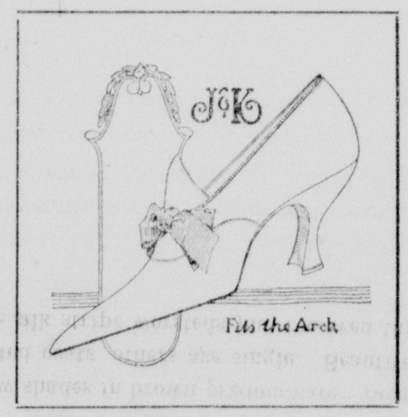
For the Last Three Days of

May Bargain Week



THESE PRICES FOR REMAINDER OF THE WEEK.

Ladies' black satin pumps, Hi heel.....$6.00
Ladies' gray suede pump, Junior Louis heel at.....$6.00
Ladies' gray suede pump, Junior Louis heel at.....$7.00
Ladies' brown kid, high heel pump.....$3.50
Ladies' patent leather high heel pump...$3.50
Ladies' patent leather Military heel pump at.....$3.50

Growing girls' brown pump.....$4.95
Growing girls' patent leather oxford....$4.95
Men's brown oxford, Educator.....$6.95
Men's brown English oxford.....$7.50
Men's black oxfords.....$4.95
Men's work shoes.....$1.98
75 pairs ladies' brown and black silk hose pair.....$1.00
200 pairs ladies' brown and gray silk hose, pair.....$1.25

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